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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN JOSE DIVISION

ALLIED HEALTH ASSOCIATION, INC.  
and KENNETH P. CALLISON,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ARTHROCARE CORPORATION, and  
DOES 1 THROUGH 100 INCLUSIVE,

Defendants.

CASE NO. C 05-04276 JF

**STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER  
TO CONTINUE CASE MANAGEMENT  
CONFERENCE**

Date: March 31, 2006  
Time: 10:30 a.m.  
Courtroom: 3, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Judge: Hon. Jeremy Fogel

WHEREAS, Allied Health Association, Inc. and Kenneth P. Callison  
("Plaintiffs") filed the Complaint in this action in Santa Clara County Superior Court on July 12,  
2005;

WHEREAS, on October 21, 2005, ArthroCare Corporation ("ArthroCare")  
removed this action to this Court on diversity grounds pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1441(b);

WHEREAS, ArthroCare filed a Motion to Compel Arbitration and to Dismiss  
Action or Stay Proceedings Pending Arbitration (the "Motion") on November 9, 2005;

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs filed their opposition to ArthroCare's Motion on January 3,  
2006, and ArthroCare filed its reply in support of the Motion on January 27, 2006,

1 WHEREAS, the Court heard ArthroCare's Motion on February 10, 2006;

2 WHEREAS, the Initial Case Management Conference in this action is currently  
3 scheduled for March 10, 2006;

4 WHEREAS, the parties have met and conferred regarding the Initial Case  
5 Management Conference and agreed that further preparation for the Initial Case Management  
6 Conference would be premature while ArthroCare's Motion remains pending;

7 WHEREAS, the parties believe that continuing the date of the Initial Case  
8 Management Conference would promote the most efficient use of the Court's and the parties'  
9 resources by postponing further preparation for the Initial Case Management Conference, if  
10 necessary, until after the hearing on ArthroCare's motion;

11 THEREFORE, the parties hereby stipulate, and request the Court to order, that the  
12 date of the Initial Case Management Conference be continued to 10:30 a.m. on March 31, 2006.

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14 Dated: February 21, 2006

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By \_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Peter T. Snow  
Attorneys for Defendant  
ArthroCare Corporation

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21 Dated: February 21, 2006

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Bradley M. Corsiglia

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By \_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Bradley M. Corsiglia  
Attorneys for Plaintiffs  
Allied Health Association and  
Kenneth P. Callison

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1 Filer's Attestation: Pursuant to General Order No. 45, Section X(B) regarding  
2 signatures, I attest under penalty of perjury that concurrence in the filing of the document has  
3 been obtained from Bradley M. Corsiglia.

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5 Dated: February 21, 2006

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8 By \_\_\_\_\_/s/  
Peter T. Snow  
Attorneys for Defendant  
9 ArthroCare Corporation  
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13 **ORDER**

14 Pursuant to the stipulation of counsel, IT IS SO ORDERED.

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16 Dated: 2/23/06

  
The Honorable Jeremy Fogel  
United States District Judge  
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/s/  
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